

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:

On Page 1, above line 1, please add the following paragraphs:

CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

Applicants claim priority under 35 U.S.C. §119 of German Application No. 10 2004 039 302.8 filed August 13, 2004. Applicants also claim priority under 35 U.S.C. §365 of PCT/DE2005/001250 filed July 15, 2005. The international application under PCT article 21(2) was not published in English.

BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION

1. Field of the Invention

On Page 1, before the second paragraph, please add the following paragraph:

2. The Prior Art

On Page 2, before the second full paragraph, please add the following paragraph:

SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION

On Page 3, between lines 31 and 32, please add the following paragraph:

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS

On Page 4, between lines 17 and 18, please add the following paragraph:

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE PREFERRED EMBODIMENTS

On Page 5, please amend the paragraph in lines 7 to 31 to read as follows:

The exemplary embodiment shown here concerns cams 1, 2, 4 for a camshaft having cams that are mutually variably adjustable with regard to their angular positions. The shaft belonging to cams 1, 2, 4 is made up of an inside shaft 11 and an outside shaft 12, which surrounds the former concentrically (6). The two shafts 11, 12 are rotatable in relation to one another. The relative rotation is usually accomplished by the fact that the inside shaft 11 is rotated inside the outside shaft 12. The two first cams 1, 2 which are situated on the outside axially in the machining module are intended for a tight seating on the outside shaft ~~2~~ 12. The second cam 4, situated between these two cams 1, 2, is designed for a tight connection on the inside shaft 11. In the case of the tight connection with the inside shaft, the second cam 4 is provided with an inside diameter which allows a rotatable play-free bearing of the second cam 4 on the outside shaft 12 (Figure 6). The

connection of the second cam 4 with the inside shaft 11 is accomplished by a fastening element which may be a dowel pin 13. This dowel pin 13 is secured on one end in the fitting borehole 7 in the second cam 4 and on the other end in a borehole in the inside shaft 11, also passing through a recess 14 in the form of an elongated hole in the outside shaft 12. The fitting bore 7 of the second cam 4 is created while this second cam 4 is in the closed machining module.